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The Pope's Christmas Day Address to the Cardinals
The files by steamer bring interesting intelligence not touched by the Atlantic Telegraph. At the reception of the Cardinals and Pontifical authorities on Christmas day, Pius IX. improvised an energetic reply to an address of J. Gooding read to him:

"First of all he thanked the cardinals for their congratulations and the constant attachment which they had shown for him personally. He said that in the times in which he found himself he derived powerful encouragement by seeing himself surrounded by the affection and kindness of the Sacred College. Replying to the observations of Cardinal Patrizi, who had been spokesman, he added that he was thankful because he knew that in the present struggle he defended the cause of God and of the Church, and therefore he relied on the assistance of the Lord. He said, with the prophet David: 'The Lord is my light, the protector of my life; whom shall I fear?' His Holiness afterwards said that it was necessary to be prepared for all—to endure every persecution. He also observed that a few days before he had received letters from the Corea relative to the deaths which several missionaries have suffered in that country; only two of them were successful in escaping from the ferocity of their persecutors, and it was they who forwarded to Rome the narrative of the martyrdom of their colleagues.—The Pope expressed the opinion that it was necessary to be ready to suffer everything for the Church, which, now-a-days, is persecuted in Europe by deceptions, seductions, lying promises, and by unjust demands and exactions. Certain persons, by the aid of rare diplomatic skill, are putting forward great assurances to induce the Holy See to make concessions."

"These people act as the Devil did when he tempted Christ on the mountain, showing him all the kingdoms of the world, and saying he would give him them if he would fall down and worship him. As for us, said his Holiness, we shall not allow ourselves to be seduced by such proceedings. Others come with the olive branch of peace, but require that their will should be submitted to. Well, we shall always continue to reject false offers and repel everything that is contrary to the principles of justice, to the good of the Church, and the dignity of the Holy See. We desire peace, but a peace that should not be offensive to the honor of God and of his Religion."

GENTLE POVERTY.—"None but they who have themselves been poor gentry—gentry so poor as not to know how to raise a shilling, says Anthony Trollope—can understand the peculiar bitterness of the trials which such poverty produces. The poverty of the normal poor does not approach it; or, rather, the pangs arising from such poverty are altogether of a different sort. To be hungry and have no food, to be cold and have no fuel, to be threatened with disrepute for one's few chairs and tables, and with the loss of the roof over one's head—all these miseries, which, if they do not positively reach, are so frequently near to reaching the normal poor, are no doubt the severest of the trials to which humanity is subjected. They threaten life, or, if not life, then liberty—reducing the subject one to a choice between captivity and starvation. By look or crook, the poor gentleman or poor lady—let the one or the other be ever so poor—does not often come to the last extremity of the poor house."

There are such cases, but they are exceptional. Mrs. Crawley, through all her sufferings had never yet found her cupboard so utterly empty, or the bread-pot to be actually empty. But there are pangs to which, at the time, starvation itself would seem to be preferable. The hungry eyes of unpaid tradesmen, savage with an anger which no knows to be unjustifiable; the taunt of the poor servant who wants her wages; the gradual relinquishment of habits which the soft nurture of kinder years had made second nature; the wan cheeks of the wife whose melancholy demands wine; the rags of the husband whose outward occupations demand decency; the neglected children, who are learning not to be the children of gentleness; and, worse than all, the alms and doles of half generous friends, the waning pride, the pride that will not wane, the growing doubt whether it be not better to bow the head, and acknowledge to all the world that nothing of the pride of station is left—that the hand is open to receive and ready to touch the cap, that the fall from the upper to the lower level has been accomplished, these are the pangs of poverty which drive the Crawleys of the world to the frequent entertaining of that idea of the bare bodkin."

The Lost Tribes of Israel.—Some years ago, Major Noah, of New York, contended that the Indians of this country were the descendants of the ten lost tribes of Israel. This position was supported by many singular facts, showing precise existing among the Indians similar to peculiar requirements in the Mosaic Law. We learn from the Memphis Bulletin that J. J. Peres, Esq., of that city, has discovered that the name of the State of Arkansas answers to two roots in the Semitic tongue. Mr. Peres is an accomplished Orientalist, having a profound acquaintance with the Hebrew and its cognates, the Chaldee, Syriac, etc. The two roots composing the name "Arkansas" are Aruk and Nausus. The former is a Chaldee form, once used by the prophet Jeremiah, meaning the earth—the latter is Hebrew, and means "to pine away," "to be sick." Assuming these two roots to be the basis of the name "Arkansas," the native name would mean "The Sickly Land." This would intimate that chills and fevers, the scourge of some portions of our sister State, were no strangers there two thousand years ago.

Ex General Bradley T. Johnson was yesterday admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States, under the new rule requiring the test oath.

COURT NOTICES.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, November 15, 1866, Robert I. Edelin, M. German, Thomas McCormick, administrator of Elias Harrison, deceased, James S. McGraw, Willis Henderson, Julia Wheatley, and Mary Wheatley, on behalf of themselves and such other stockholders of the Mechanical Building Association of Alexandria as may join in and contribute to the expenses of this suit, complainants, vs. Mechanical Building Association of Alexandria, William Arnold, David Appich, Ewell G. Atwell, N. W. Burchell, Maria Buchanan, administratrix of R. E. Buchanan, deceased, J. H. Devaughn, A. W. Eastlack, J. Newton Harper, Luther D. Harrison, H. W. Hardy, John Jones, Margaret Kaffery, with the will annexed of J. Louis Kinzer, King, vs. J. W. Nails, C. L. Richards, R. W. Robinson, John Summers, Stephen Swain, John L. Pascoe, Samuel Beach, D. L. Smoot, administrator of Peter Davis, deceased, James E. McGraw, George H. Markell, and Robert I. Edelin, Trustees of the Mechanical Building Association of Alexandria, defendants.

At the November term, 1866, directed that the papers in the above cause be referred to W. C. Yeaton, Master in Chancery of said Court, to enquire into and state a full and complete account of the transactions of said Building Association; the condition of the accounts between the Association and its members; the amount due from the several deeds of trust executed for the benefit of the said Association; the amounts due from the said Association to its members, and the amounts due from its members to the said Association, with instructions to the said Master to publish for four successive weeks, the object of the reference in some newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, in lieu of personal service upon the parties interested, &c.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Jan. 2, 1867.
Notice is hereby given to all parties interested in the decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria, in the case of J. C. Taylor, George W. Brent, J. Lewis Evans, A. Woodward, M. W. Edelin, N. W. Burchell, J. H. Devaughn, J. O. Sullivan, J. H. L. Pascoe, C. Noland, John Arnold, George W. Davis, John T. Hill, William B. Nails, John Summers, C. B. Shirley, Margaret Kaffery and John Lally, defendants.

W. C. YEATON,
Master in Chancery of said Court.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, November term, 1866, William E. Moore vs. S. G. Miller, in Chancery.

The Court doth adjudge, order and decree, that M. D. Ball, one of the Master Commissioners of this Court, do take an account of the items upon the bill of the defendant in the bill and proceedings mentioned, how due, and their respective priorities, together with all debts due from said defendant and to whom, and that said Commissioner do ascertain the annual and fee-simple value of said lands and for this purpose that he do convey, by advertisement, all the credits and debts of S. G. Miller, in some newspaper printed in the city of Alexandria, which advertisement shall be regarded as equivalent to personal service, and that he do report his proceedings herein to the next term of this Court, with such matters as he may deem pertinent, or that any party interested in the said cause, do appear and be heard on the matter. Extract—**W. B. GOODING, Clerk.**

Parties interested in the above decree are hereby notified that I will proceed to execute its provisions, at my office, at Fairfax C. H., on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of February, 1867.

M. DULANY BALL,
Comm'r in Chancery.

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Alexandria, on the 7th day of January, 1867, Henry Studds and Daniel Pulman, copartners in trade, under the name and style of Studds & Pulman, complainants, against David P. Bodfish, Alexander Mills, Martin S. Sheldon and A. Grant Childs, joint partners, under the name and style of Bodfish, Mills & Co., and the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company, defendants in chancery and upon an attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover from the defendant, Bodfish, Mills & Co., the sum of \$3,000, and to subject any bonds, funds or effects, in the hands of the defendant, the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company, due and belonging to the said Bodfish, Mills & Co., to the payment of the same.

The defendants, Bodfish, Mills & Co., not having entered their appearance, and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that they appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

W. Arthur Taylor, P. Q.
Jan 15—law 1w

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria, on the 7th day of January, 1867, James M. Wallace, complainant, against Solomon Stover, Charles M. Price and William P. Kephart, defendants in chancery and upon an attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover from the defendant, Solomon Stover, the sum of \$2,000, with interest from the 3rd of June, 1861, and to subject his interest in certain real estate in the city of Alexandria, Va., situated on the north-west intersection of Duke and Payne streets, and known as the Jail property, to the payment of the same.

The defendants, Solomon Stover and Wm. P. Kephart, not having entered their appearance, and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that they appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

J. TACEY, Clerk.
Jan 15—law 1w

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria, on the 7th day of January, 1867, Henry Studds and George Auld, Jr., co-artners in trade, under the name and style of Studds & Auld, complainants, against David P. Bodfish, Alexander Mills, Martin S. Sheldon and A. Grant Childs, joint partners, under the name and style of Bodfish, Mills & Co., and the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company, defendants in chancery and upon an attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover from the defendants, Bodfish, Mills & Co., the sum of \$10,000, and to subject any bonds, funds or effects, in the hands of the defendant, the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company, due and belonging to the said Bodfish, Mills & Co., to the payment of the same.

The defendants, Bodfish, Mills & Co., not having entered their appearance and giving security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that they appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

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COURT NOTICES.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, November 15, 1866, George W. Maxwell, complainant, vs. George W. Maxwell, Walter C. Gillingham and Ella C. Gillingham, his wife; Benjamin Chase and Mary A. Chase, his wife; Franklin Maxwell, Carroll Maxwell, Richard L. Maxwell, Willard Maxwell, Agnes Maxwell, Alice Maxwell, Catherine Maxwell, and Albert Stuart, defendants.

The decree in the above case directs that one of the Masters in Chancery of the Court, do ascertain and report—
1st. The indebtedness of the estate of George W. Maxwell at the time of his death.
2d. The value of his personal assets, which have or are yet to come into the hands of his executor.
3d. The real estate of which he died seized, and its value.
4th. The liens on said real estate, their amount and respective priorities.

The said decree further directs that the said Master shall give notice, by advertisement, in one of the newspapers published in Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, of the time and place, when and where he shall proceed to execute the same; said publication to be equivalent to personal service of such notice on the parties.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Jan. 4, 1867.
The parties interested in the decree, of which the foregoing is an abstract, are notified that I have fixed upon MONDAY, the 4th day of March, 1867, at my office, in the city of Alexandria, where and where I shall proceed to execute the said decree.

W. C. YEATON,
Master in Chancery of said Court.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, November 15, 1866, The Potomac Building Fund Association of Alexandria, complainant, vs. Gilbert S. Miner, J. C. Taylor, George W. Brent, J. Lewis Evans, A. Woodward, M. W. Edelin, N. W. Burchell, J. H. Devaughn, J. O. Sullivan, J. H. L. Pascoe, C. Noland, John Arnold, George W. Davis, John T. Hill, William B. Nails, John Summers, C. B. Shirley, Margaret Kaffery and John Lally, defendants.

The decree of November term, 1866, directs that the papers in the above case be referred to W. C. Yeaton, Master in Chancery of said Court, to enquire into and state a full and complete account of the transactions of said Association and its members; the amounts due from the said Association to its members, and the amounts due from its members to the said Association, with instructions to the said Master to publish for four successive weeks, the object of the reference in some newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, in lieu of personal service upon the parties interested, &c.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Jan. 2, 1867.
Notice is hereby given to all parties interested in the decree of which the foregoing is an abstract, that I have fixed upon FRIDAY, the 22d of February, 1867, at my office, in the city of Alexandria, where and where I shall proceed to execute the said decree.

W. C. YEATON,
Master in Chancery of said Court.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, November 15th, 1866, George Washington, complainant, vs. Catherine Burley, Administratrix of James Burley, deceased, and Alice and Maria Burley, infants, defendants.

The Court doth adjudge, order and decree, that M. D. Ball, one of the Master Commissioners of this Court, do take an account of the items upon the bill of the defendant in the bill and proceedings mentioned, how due, and their respective priorities, together with all debts due from said defendant and to whom, and that said Commissioner do ascertain the annual and fee-simple value of said lands and for this purpose that he do convey, by advertisement, all the credits and debts of S. G. Miller, in some newspaper printed in the city of Alexandria, which advertisement shall be regarded as equivalent to personal service, and that he do report his proceedings herein to the next term of this Court, with such matters as he may deem pertinent, or that any party interested in the said cause, do appear and be heard on the matter. Extract—**W. B. GOODING, Clerk.**

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M. DULANY BALL,
Comm'r in Chancery.

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Alexandria, on the 31st day of December, 1866, John Laphen, plaintiff, against Adeline E. Evans, defendant, in assumpsit and upon an attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover from the defendant the sum of \$200, with interest from the 15th day of July, 1861, till paid, due to the plaintiff by the defendant.

The defendant not having entered her appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that she is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that she appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

J. TACEY, Clerk.
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The object of this suit is to recover from the defendant the sum of \$200, with interest from the 15th day of July, 1861, till paid, due to the plaintiff by the defendant.

The defendant not having entered her appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that she is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that she appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

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The object of this suit is to recover from the defendant the sum of \$200, with interest from the 15th day of July, 1861, till paid, due to the plaintiff by the defendant.

The defendant not having entered her appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that she is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that she appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

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The defendant not having entered her appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that she is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that she appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

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The defendant not having entered her appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that she is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that she appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

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The defendant not having entered her appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that she is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that she appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

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W. B. GOODING, Clerk.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Jan. 14, 1867.
Parties interested are hereby notified that I have fixed upon MONDAY, the 18th day of February next, as the time for executing the provisions of the decree, at my office.

M. DULANY BALL,
Comm'r in Chancery.

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Alexandria, on the 31st day of December, 1866, John Laphen, plaintiff, against Adeline E. Evans, defendant, in assumpsit and upon an attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover from the defendant the sum of \$200, with interest from the 15th day of July, 1861, till paid, due to the plaintiff by the defendant.

The defendant not having entered her appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that she is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that she appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—**Teste.**

J. TACEY, Clerk.
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